1	2	3	4	5
5	Nigeria	14.1	18.9	13.7
6	Singapore	10.8	55.9	57.8
7	Sri Lanka	3.4	5.3	17.8
8	U.A.E.	7.0	12 6	37.6
9	U.S.A.	74.9	151.2	187.7
10	Vietnam S.R.	..	5.3	19.0

Source : Chemicals and Allied Products Export Promotion Council, Calcutta.

Indo-US Trade Panel

761. SHRI SURESH KALMADI : Will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that Government have agreed to activate the Indo-US trade panel; and

(b) if so, what are the details of different fields to be covered thereunder ?

THE MINISTER OF COMMERCE (SHRI PRANAB MUKHERJEE) : (a) and (b) During the visit of the Prime Minister to USA in May 1994 it was agreed, inter-alia, that the Indo-US Joint Commission should be revived and meeting of the Indo-US Sub-Commission on economy and commerce be convened early next year. A Working Group on Trade exists under this Sub-Commission. This issue has been discussed at various levels thereafter for finalising the work programme of the Sub-Commission.

Trade Corridor between Malaysia and India

762. SHRI V. RAJAN CHELLAPPA : Will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Government of Malaysia has proposed a trade corridor with India for better trade promotion :

(b) if so, the details thereof ;

(c) whether similar arrangements will also be extended to SAARC countries ; and

(d) if so, the details thereof ?

THE MINISTER OF COMMERCE (SHRI PRANAB MUKHERJEE) : (a) No. Sir.

(b) to (d) Do not arise.

Demand for opening International Border with Myanmar and China

763. SHRI S. AUSTIN : Will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased to state :

(a) whether the demand for opening the international borders with Myanmar and China for trade and transit was repeated at the thirty seventh meeting of the North-Eastern Council by the seven member States; and

(b) if so, the action taken by Government thereon ?

THE MINISTER OF COMMERCE (SHRI PRANAB MUKHERJEE) : (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

Export House Status to Corporations

764. SHRI S. AUSTIN : Will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased to state :

(a) whether Government have granted the Export House Status to